

IN THE CLAIMS:

(1) Please rewrite Claim 1 as follows:

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1. (Amended) For use with an electronic mail (e-mail) program, a system for establishing relationships between hypertext references contained in e-mail messages received by said e-mail program, comprising:

a message parser that locates hypertext references in first and second e-mail messages received by said e-mail program and associates each of said hypertext references with a sender of said first and second e-mail messages; and

a message organizer that allows a user to choose to display said first and second e-mail messages in an order that is based on said hypertext references.

(2) Please rewrite Claim 2 as follows:

2. (Amended) The system as recited in Claim 1 wherein said message organizer further causes said e-mail program to display a message field containing said hypertext references and a from field containing said sender associated with each of said hypertext references.

(3) Please rewrite Claim 5 as follows:

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5. (Amended) The system as recited in Claim 1 wherein said message organizer orders based on said hypertext references and said sender associated with each of said hypertext references.

(4) Please rewrite Claim 10 as follows:

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10. (Amended) For use with an electronic mail (e-mail) program, a method of establishing relationships between hypertext references contained in e-mail messages received by said e-mail program, comprising:

locating hypertext references in first and second e-mail messages received by said e-mail program and associating each of said hypertext references with a sender of said first and second e-mail messages; and

allowing a user to choose to display said first and second e-mail messages in an order that is based on said hypertext references.

(5) Please rewrite Claim 11 as follows:

11. (Twice Amended) The method as recited in Claim 10 further comprising causing said e-mail program to display a message field containing said hypertext references and a from field containing said sender associated with each of said hypertext references.

(6) Please rewrite Claim 14 as follows:

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14. (Amended) The method as recited in Claim 10 wherein said order is based on said hypertext references and said sender associated with each of said hypertext references.

(7) Please rewrite Claim 19 as follows:

19. (Amended) An electronic mail (e-mail) program, comprising:

a message receiver;

a message transmitter coupled to said message receiver;

a message composer coupled to said message transmitter;

a message store coupled to said message composer; and

a system, associated with said message store, for establishing relationships between hypertext references contained in e-mail messages received by said e-mail program, including:

a message parser that locates hypertext references in first and second e-mail messages received by said e-mail program and associates each of said hypertext references with a sender of said first and second e-mail messages, and

a message organizer that allows a user to choose to display said first and second e-mail messages in an order that is based on said hypertext references.

(8) Please rewrite Claim 20 as follows:

20. (Amended) The e-mail program as recited in Claim 19 wherein said message organizer further causes said e-mail program to display a message field containing said hypertext references and a from field containing said sender associated with each of said hypertext references.